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My dear Mrs. Loring:

Your kind note, with the generous donation contained in it, was carefully put into my hand this afternoon by the young man who brought it. It is a double assurance of your unaltered friendship - a good word and a liberal deed. I am sure you will be gratified to know that your gift will <sup>serve to</sup> relieve me from some pecuniary embarrassments under which I have been laboring, in consequence of the paucity of the receipts of the Liberator for the last six months.

If I were "making money", I should hardly feel free to accept it; nor, in that case, would you deem it desirable to proffer it. Thus far, a kind Providence has sustained me, and in many a dark hour suddenly cast its cheering light upon my pathway.





My experience has been a singular and  
deeply interesting one, for the last fifteen  
years. At no time have I been delivered  
from the bondage of pecuniary embar-  
rassment; and yet, in each extremity, a  
way has been opened for my relief, wholly  
unexpected to me.

Today is the commencement of  
another new year. Dear Ellen unites  
with me in proffering to you and your  
husband the warmest desires for your  
happiness, not only for the present year,  
but for many years to come.

Yours, with much thankfulness  
and esteem,

Wm. Lloyd Garrison -

Mrs. Louisa Loring -

Winter Street,

Boston.

